

is capable of repair. The strength of the Boers at that point is not known. Probably they have from 5,000 to 6,000 men.

**Leyds Differs With Kruger.**  
Dr. Leyds, according to the Brussels correspondent of the Daily Express, has quarrelled with the Transvaal government. A representative of President Kruger is alleged to have demanded an accounting respecting £250,000 (\$2,500,000) that has passed through Dr. Leyds' hands. Dr. Leyds is said to have replied that the money had been expended, and that he had expressed indignation when asked for an itemized statement.  
President Kruger's emissary is described as showing to Dr. Leyds certain anti-war letters in which Germany and France said they would intervene; and Dr. Leyds, according to this account, grabbed the documents and threw them into the fire, having a bodily struggle with the emissary. These alleged incidents are cited to explain the recent reserve of Dr. Leyds.

**Mrs. Reitz Off For Europe.**  
The Lorenzo Marques correspondent of the Times writes: "Mrs. Reitz, wife of the Transvaal state secretary, and her children have gone to Europe on the Bundesrath. It is believed that she has taken a large quantity of bullion and possibly several important Boer politicians.  
"Apropos to the American insurrection against the British censorship, I have ascertained that British subjects connected with the mines sought to enlighten the American congress regarding their position. He referred the matter to Cape Town, but was never delivered. It is notorious that it was suppressed by the Boer authorities.  
"A popular feeling against British subjects is running in heavily. Every newspaper article is censored, and the people are indignant at discovering what rubbish and falsehoods have been given them."  
A dispatch to the Times from Ficksburg, dated May 23, says: "The British patrol have found this place deserted, the Boers having retired to Bethlehem."

**SAYS HE URGES SURRENDER.**  
Fresh Report is Circulated About Delegate Fischer.  
Cape Town, May 23.—It is reported here that Dr. Kruger has received a communication from Abraham Fischer, one of the Boer delegates now in the United States, advising him to surrender on the best terms obtainable from Lord Roberts.  
It is also understood that when Lord Roberts crosses the Vaal river he will issue a proclamation announcing that if the burghers return to their homes their property and stock will be respected.

## MINISTER ACTS IN PLAGUE

### CHINESE REPRESENTATIVE APPEALS TO SURGEON GENERAL.

Says That He Will Go to State Department if Necessary to Protect His Countrymen.

Washington, May 23.—The Chinese minister has received numerous telegrams from Chinese residents of San Francisco, asking him to have revoked the order that they shall be inoculated with the anti-plague serum.  
The situation in San Francisco, he said, is very grave, as the Chinese have a great fear of this treatment, and serious trouble may ensue if it is continued. The minister commented upon the fact that the whites are not being treated, and expressed the opinion that this was not fair.

The minister today received a telegram from the Chinese consul general at San Francisco, which states that after a thorough examination the state board of health has officially declared that there is no plague in San Francisco. The federal doctors, however, are preventing Chinese from leaving or entering the city unless inoculated. The few healthy Chinese who submitted to the operation, says the telegram, at once became very ill and are now in a dying condition. All doctors, says the consul general, agree inoculation is dangerous. There should be no cause for surprise, the minister thought, if such circumstances should arise. The Chinese think there is a conspiracy to kill them.

The serum might be good for other people, but for the Chinese it might be a very bad thing.  
The minister has asked the surgeon general of the Marine hospital service to have the inoculation stopped, and a promise was made to bring the matter to the attention of the treasury department. If this does not secure satisfactory results, the Chinese minister said he would make representations to the state department.

## BOER ENVOYS DINE WITH HAY

### SECRETARY EXTENDS COMPLIMENT TO THE DELEGATES.

Affair is Private and is Partially in View of Transvaal's Treatment of Son Adelbert.

Washington, May 23.—Secretary Hay today entertained at luncheon the Boer delegates now in Washington.

The affair was a purely personal compliment extended by the secretary and had not even a social significance. His son, Adelbert Hay, the present United States consul at Pretoria, has been treated with the greatest courtesy and consideration by the Boers, not only officially, but personally, and perhaps it was a remembrance of this fact that induced the secretary to endeavor to reciprocate in this way.

The party was small. Besides the secretary and his family, there were present the delegates, Mrs. Fischer, wife of the leader of the delegation, Dr. Hill, the assistant secretary of state, and a few ladies, intimate friends of the secretary's family.  
Congressman Sulzer, after a consultation with the secretary, says tonight announced that some time next week, the exact date not having been determined, the commissioners would make a visit to Boston and after that go west.

Mr. Fischer, the spokesman of the delegation, pleaded a pressure of business tonight when request was made for an interview regarding the Cape Town dispatch reporting that President Kruger had been advised by him to surrender on the best terms obtainable from Lord Roberts. He said, however, that the statement was an old, old one, having appeared some days ago, and that there was no basis for it.

**President Entertains Shriners.**  
Washington, May 23.—The Imperial Council of the Mystic Shrine completed its twenty-sixth annual meeting here today. Kansas City was chosen as the next year's site, and June 11-12 were fixed as the dates.  
Tonight President and Mrs. McKinley gave a special reception at the White House in honor of the visiting Shriners.

## UTAH'S BEST SUGAR PLANT THE GREATEST IN AMERICA

(Special To The Herald.)  
Lehi, Utah, May 23.—Your correspondent was yesterday shown the improvements being made at the Utah sugar factory. Instead of saying improvements, it would be more proper to designate the work now being done by rebuilding of the plant, for there is hardly a piece of old machinery that has been left in its former place, and in addition to that heretofore use, the improvements now being made will require 400 tons of structural steel and 1,400 tons more of machinery. Besides this, three new buildings are in the course of erection, and the west wall of the main structure has been extended about thirty feet, and an additional story added, in which will be located the two mammoth vacuum pans.

All of the wooden frame work has been taken out and replaced with structural steel, and in lieu of the lumber being used in the course of erection, and the west wall of the main structure has been extended about thirty feet, and an additional story added, in which will be located the two mammoth vacuum pans.

**Capacity Increased.**  
The new improvements being made will increase the plant's capacity, but to do this every part has had to be increased and strengthened. To give some idea of these changes, the old crystallization and centrifugal tanks have been replaced by six additional crystallization tanks, each having a capacity of 700 cubic feet. Instead of the old and slow process of crystallization, the new process uses rotary crystallizers, each of which weighs seventeen tons, and has a capacity of 300 cubic feet. This new process keeps the syrup moving constantly, causing it to crystallize much quicker, and leaving much less low-grade syrup than did the old process.

In the old mill there were three sets of presses and a set of two mechanical filters. The third set of presses has been abandoned, or transferred to the first and second set, and the two mechanical filters have been increased to four. Another time kiln, with double the capacity of the old one, has been added, for, with the increased consumption of beets, there will be three times as much lime and carbonic acid

## BILL ROOT, FRONTIERSMAN, COMES TO SALT LAKE TO LIVE

After a life of adventure as freighter, stage driver and frontiersman, Bill Root of Laramie, Wyo., has come to the city of the Saints to settle down with his wife and nephew. He came to town last Friday and took rooms at the Miller, but not finding hotel life to his liking, he decided that the best and most independent way of living was to go to housekeeping. And housekeeping he will do.

Bill Root's history at this state dates as far back as 1866, when he used to come into the Mormon settlement driving a team of oxen and a stage driver, from Cheyenne, Wyo. But as civilization advanced, Bill advanced along with it. Some thirty odd years ago he was known to Salt Lake as a stage driver, and a rattling good stage driver he was, too. Many a difficult corner

## LYNCHERS FINISHED

### No Steps to Prosecute Members of Pueblo Mob.

**OFFICERS ACQUIESCED**  
**DID NOT RESIST EFFORTS TO TAKE PRISONER FROM THEM.**

Body Hangs on Telegraph Pole a Long Time—Face Badly Mangled by Blow From Sledge Hammer—Well Dressed Women Prominent in the Furious Crowd.

Pueblo, May 23.—No steps have been taken to prosecute members of the mob that lynched Calvin Kimbrell, the colored murderer, early this morning. It is said that not the slightest attempt to protect the prisoner was made by the half dozen officers having him in charge.

The negro was dragged face downward over the railroad tracks, the noose tightened about his neck, and he was undoubtedly dead before he was hanged to the telegraph pole two blocks from the depot.

After a few minutes the rope was cut and the body was dragged half a block further, the crowd clamoring to have it burned. Mayor West exhorted the mob to disperse, but his words were unheeded by many who continued to thrash indignities upon the body. A man who claimed to be a doctor examined the body and declared that the heart was still beating.

The body was finally again manacled to a telegraph pole, where it remained a long time.

**Face Almost Torn From Skull.**  
The rough treatment had almost torn one side of Kimbrell's face from his skull. The noose had cut deeply into the neck and blood splashed his clothing. Apparently in the excitement of the mob, the crowd clamored to have it burned. Mayor West exhorted the mob to disperse, but his words were unheeded by many who continued to thrash indignities upon the body.

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## TWENTY-TWO DIE IN MINE

Broken Gauge in Safety Lamp Causes Explosion.

Raleigh, N. C., May 23.—Twenty-two miners, ten white men and twelve negroes, lost their lives in the explosion at the "Cannon" coal mines, Chatham county, North Carolina, yesterday afternoon. The explosion is supposed to have been caused by a broken gauge in a safety lamp.

The accident was in what is known as

gas used in the purification of the juice.  
Two immense tanks, with a combined capacity of 36,000 gallons, have been erected in the northeast corner of the building, and into these will be pumped the juice from the Springfield and Bingham Junction auxiliary plants. Four new evaporators, with double the capacity of the old ones, will assist in converting the juice into syrup, which will then pass into the eighteen immense crystallizers mentioned above.

**Handled Automatically.**  
From the time the beets leave the sheds till they are converted into sugar and sacked in the sugar room, the handling of all the different products is done automatically, and with the use of machinery. Screw conveyors will carry the syrup from the crystallizers to the vacuum pans and from there to the centrifugals, which have been increased from seven to seventeen. Screw conveyors will then carry the sugar to an immense warehouse that will have a railway track on each side, and which will then pass into the eighteen immense crystallizers mentioned above.

Ten new boilers are being added to the fourteen already in place, and these combined will eat up over 140 tons of coal and four tons of coke every day. In fact, this will be the largest steam plant west of the Missouri river. The ashes and cinders from the five box will be carried away in a stream of water. The coal will be unloaded from an elevated track into a bin that will deliver it right at the mouths of the furnaces, so that wheelbarrows that were used both to haul the coal and carry away the ashes will now be discarded.

The plant is connected with the auxiliary plant at Springfield by a pipe line, and men are at work laying a similar line to connect the ropeway in a course of erection on the Springfield side. These two branches will also be connected with the central plant by private telephone, so that at any time the manager may know how all is working.

**1,200 Tons Per Day.**  
The two branches of the central plant will each have a capacity for cutting 400 tons of beets each, and will be remodeled into six additional crystallization tanks, each having a capacity of 700 cubic feet.

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## Presbyterian Expresses Greeting.

Pending comparison of the vote by the secretary, the conference listened to an address of greeting by Rev. Dr. Samuel J. Nichols of St. Louis, fraternal delegate from the Presbyterian general assembly at St. Louis. Resolutions of sympathy were adopted, and over Dr. Nichols' address and instructing the board of bishops to appoint two fraternal delegates to represent the assembly at the Presbyterian general assembly in 1901.

## Would Disfranchise Polygamists.

At the afternoon session Dr. J. M. King submitted a memorial to Congress asking for the passage of an amendment to the constitution of the United States disfranchising all persons practicing polygamy, and barring them from the privilege of holding public office.

## Queer Ways of Book Man.

Agent Mains, representative of the Methodist publishing interests in New York, was here today for an hour today explaining certain portions of his quarterly report to the committee on book concern. Chairman Frank Arter, of the sub-committee, to which was referred the report of the publishing agents in the east, submitted a statement which will in all probability cause consternation when it reaches the general conference.

## STARS MAKE MILLIONS.

Theatrical Season One of the Most Prosperous Known.

New York, May 23.—Al Hayman, head of the theatrical syndicate, speaking of the season just closed, said that it was one of the most prosperous he could recall. The receipts of the leading stars had been phenomenal, and the gross takings of Sir Henry Irving, "Ben Hur," Miss Maude Adams and Mrs. Leslie Carter would amount to fully \$2,000,000.

## FIRE NEAR DYNAMITE.

Train Crews Bravely Fight Both Dangers.

Oakland, Cal., May 23.—A train of box cars, laden with merchandise, including a large quantity of dynamite and black powder, caught fire last night in the railroad yards here.

There was a scarcity of water, and, though facing almost certain death, the firemen and train crew bravely fought the flames before an explosion occurred.

## SUBSCRIBE FOR BONDS.

Boise People Accede to Proposition of Idaho Midland.

(Special To The Herald.)  
Boise, Ida., May 23.—The Idaho Midland, people have made a new proposition to Boise. It is for the right, in addition to furnishing the right of way, for which money is raised, to subscribe for \$200,000 of the company's bonds at 85 cents.

The company will first build down the valley to connect with the Idaho Midland at Star and then probably on to Caldwell. A force of 300 Japs is now at work on the grade north of here. The company expects to complete the road to Butte in three years.

## ANTI-CANTEEN BILL IN.

House Committee Favorably Reports Measure.

Washington, May 23.—The anti-canteen bill was ordered favorably reported by the house committee on military affairs with an amendment which will exclude liquor from the capitol and other public buildings. The bill reported is known as the "Bowersock bill" and applies to premises used for military purposes. These words were struck out, making the bill apply to "any premises used or owned by the United States."

## END DISCRIMINATE LIMIT

Methodists in General Conference Abolish Old Rule.

## VOTE IS OVERWHELMING

Presbyterian Delegate's Greeting of Denomination.

Resolution is Adopted Favoring Disfranchisement of All Polygamists—Presbyterian Assembly Refers Creed Revision to a Committee—American Baptist Home Mission.

Chicago, May 23.—The Methodist general conference today voted to abolish the time limit on pastors.

The majority report of the committee on itinerancy, as adopted by the conference, reads as follows:

"Section 3, paragraph 173, of the discipline, is amended by striking out subsection 13 of section 3 and inserting therefor the words 'He (the bishop) shall appoint the preacher to the several pastoral charges annually.'"

Discussion was mainly over the minority report of the committee, which provided for a five-year extension of the pastorate only on a three-fourths vote of a quarterly conference, and an amendment offered by D. S. Monroe, providing for a return to the three-year time limit, but with the provision that the pastorate may be extended by periods of three years by a majority report of a quarterly conference.

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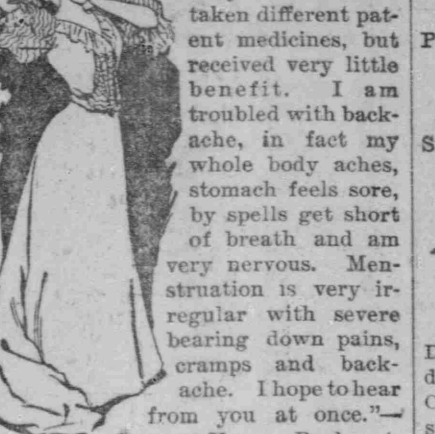
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CLARA KOPP, Rockport, Ind., Sept. 27, 1898.

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Therefore, he said, he recommended with the other members of the committee on bills and overtures that the committee be appointed. The report was then adopted by a unanimous vote.

The morning was mainly taken up with a discussion of the report on foreign missions. Rev. Dr. Charles Cuthbert Hall of New York, chairman of the committee, read the report and requested the assembly to endorse the members of the foreign mission board.

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## KANSAS IS FOR BRYAN

Democratic Convention Instructs National Delegates.

## JOHNSON HEADS LIST

PLATFORM REAFFIRMS CHICAGO DECLARATION OF 1896.

Stands for Bimetallism and Against Imperialism Entangling Foreign Alliances, a Big Standing Army and a Protective Tariff Which Fosters Trusts and Monopolies.

Wichita, Kan., May 23.—The Kansas Democrats in state convention here today, selected delegates to the Kansas City convention, and instructed them strongly for Bryan. The resolutions bind the delegates, not only to support Bryan for president, but also to support for vice president only a man who is now and was in 1896 in full sympathy with the Chicago platform.

Six delegates-at-large were selected, as follows: J. Z. Johnson of Marion county, David Overmyer of Shawnee, James N. Pike of Thomas, John Atwood of Leavenworth, Dr. C. W. Brandenburg of Marshall and H. W. Stewart of Sedgwick.

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## Chicago Platform Reaffirmed.

The resolutions reaffirm the national platform of 1896 and favor the immediate restoration of bimetallism as it existed in our financial system prior to the demonetization act of 1873.

The platform contains no imperialist, colonial, or protectionist provisions, knowing that no country can endorse an empire abroad and a republic at home, and adhering to the spirit of the Monroe doctrine and the warnings of the fathers against entangling foreign alliances and world politics.

## REPUBLICANS AID EUROPE

"The continued ascendancy of the Republican party has secretly and stealthily aided every scheme by which European bondholders and their American allies have manipulated the financial policy of this country, in their interests and against the interests of the people."

has allowed manufacturers to take a part of the earnings of consumers through a protective tariff system until they have grown into giant trusts and defy the law, organize by huge numbers in the overthrow of the government from the present administration. We demand the relief from this odious tariff system by the enforcement of federal laws against trusts, by throwing open to foreign competition, through the enlargement of the free list, every business managed by a trust and by the enactment and rigid enforcement of drastic trust laws in Kansas."

## GOLD DEMOCRATS' PLANS.

Conferees Say Course Depends on Action of Kansas City.

Indianapolis, May 23.—The gold Democrats of Indiana held an important conference this afternoon to determine their position in the coming national campaign.

Leaders today said their purpose to nominate a national gold Democratic ticket will be influenced by the course of the Kansas City convention. If no concessions are made a national ticket will be put in the field. The gold men have assurance that free silver will not be endorsed by the coming Indiana Democratic convention.

Resolutions adopted this afternoon declare that free silver is not a party issue and that it is every Democrat's duty to fight Bryan. Of the administration the conference says:

"For principles which we believe are sound, we have no quarrel with Mr. McKinley. The flowering of Hannibalism and spoliation in the thievery and corruption recently unearthed in the Cuban administration is not a party issue, but a question for every Democrat to support Mr. McKinley."

## STATUS IN NEW YORK.

Canvass Shows 162 Delegates Pledged to Bryan.

New York, May 23.—The Journal and Advertiser says that of the 450 delegates to the state convention, 162 are pledged to insure Bryan delegates to the national convention and 126, nearly all from New York City, are unpledged. The remaining delegates have not yet been chosen.

## CHOSEN IN ARIZONA.

Democrats Pick Delegates to the National Convention.

Phoenix, Ariz., May 23.—The Democratic territorial convention held here today elected the following delegates to Kansas City:

Dr. H. A. Hughes, G. W. P. Hunt, J. M. Murphy, B. A. Packard, T. G. Norris and G. A. Olney.

## MRS. ALLEN SPEAKS.

Utah Woman Again Addresses National Mothers' Congress.

Des Moines, Ia., May 23.—There were some notable addresses during the day and evening sessions of the National Mothers' congress, among the speakers being Mrs. Clarence E. Allen of Utah.

The morning session was devoted to reports from the various states and the afternoon and evening to subjects relating to the education of boys for the duties of manhood.

## BROKE UP A BIG DEAL

Suit Is Brought Against Western Union Company.

## WANT \$29,750 DAMAGES

FAILURE TO DELIVER AN IMPORTANT TELEGRAM.

Utah Men Were Trying to Get a Lease on Mining Property and Say That the Carelessness of the Telegraph Company Spoiled All the Negotiations.

S. Wade Mosby, Burton S. Kimball and William E. Jermaine have commenced proceedings against the Western Union Telegraph company to recover \$29,750 damages for a misdirected telegram.